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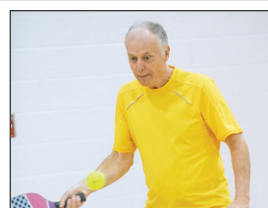
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Eric Leclerc, otherwise known as "Mr. E.," gets a couple of young spectators to assist him during his recent Razzamataz performance at the Northern Lights Performing Arts Pavilion. See story on page 5.

## Duchene joins all-star roster for Winter Olympics

By Darren Lum  
Staff

For every goal achieved there is always an assist.

Haliburton's Matt Duchene, who was named to his first Canadian Men's Olympic Hockey Team, continues to ascend the hockey world but he hasn't forgotten about the support he's received to reach his goals.

"[Haliburton has] always been such a hockey town, and the support of my friends and family has always been big for me and a

driving factor," he said in an email. "It's always amazing to know how happy everyone is for me and also to celebrate things like this when I come home in the summer. Hopefully we'll have a gold medal to celebrate this year."

His family has been there since the beginning and experienced the roller-coaster ride that comes with life in the National Hockey League (NHL).

It was fitting then Duchene, who got early word from from Boston Bruins general manager and Canada's men's management group

member Peter Chiarelli, called his parents Vince, Chris and younger sister Jessica close to 45 minutes after learning before the Jan. 7 announcement.

Vince felt relieved when he got the call.

"I wondered all along if he was going to have the opportunity to know beforehand, so when he called me I was around a crowd of people so I really couldn't tell him how I felt," he said. "It was a relief as much as anything because there is such a buildup, such a wait."

Duchene, who turns 23 on Jan.

16, also remembered the support of friends when he contacted "great friend" and Avalanche teammate Paul Stastny, who will play for the US at the Olympics, and "best buddy from Haliburton, Ryan Bottum" with text messages, fulfilling a promise to keep them informed.

This past year wasn't without anxiety for the Colorado Avalanche centre, who admits to not sleeping well for a month leading up to the announcement of fulfilling a childhood dream.

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# Haliburton pair charged with vehicle thefts, drug offences

By Mark Arike  
Editor

The OPP have arrested and charged two people from Haliburton believed to be involved in a string of vehicle thefts, dating back to spring of last year.

One of the accused, a 26-year-old man, has been charged with 18 criminal offences, including five counts of theft under \$5,000, nine counts of possession of property obtained by crime under \$5,000, and possession of cocaine and marijuana, according to an OPP press release. He was held in custody in Lindsay for hearings on Jan. 9 and 10.

The 22-year-old woman was charged with possession of property obtained by

crime under \$5,000, and possession of cocaine and marijuana. She was released on a promise to appear in Lindsay court on March 5.

According to a Jan. 4 press release, the pair were arrested and charged after plainclothes and uniformed officers executed a search warrant at a residence on Wigamog Road in Haliburton on Jan. 3.

Since last February, several vehicles were broken into in parking lots between Minden and Haliburton, said Det. Const. Peter Backus. Stolen items included GPS units, cell phones, purses and loose change. "There are at least 30 different victims,"

said Backus, adding that most of the vehicles were unlocked while some were forcibly entered.

Backus confirmed that similar incidents in "other jurisdictions" are currently under investigation. Local OPP as well as "special resources" have been utilized. More charges will be laid in the near future, said Potter.

On Jan. 4, officers also arrested and charged a 19-year-old Haliburton man in connection with thefts from vehicles in the Rexall parking lot in Haliburton. Neither Potter nor Backus could comment on whether that arrest is linked to the current investigation.



Police are currently in possession of stolen items that have not yet been returned to their rightful owners, said Backus.

"If anyone has specific items that were stolen, that they feel they can provide us with an adequate description of, I want them to come forward."

Since the arrests were made public, many individuals have contacted police to inquire about stolen property, said Potter.

Anyone who believes they've had property stolen from their vehicle should contact Backus at the Haliburton Highlands OPP at 705-286-1431.

Police are reminding the public to lock their car doors when left unattended, and to never leave valuables or personal identification in their vehicles.

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## Charges for two local teens for break-ins

By Darren Lum  
Staff

Two local 18-year-old teens are facing multiple charges for a series of break and enters in the Horseshoe Lake area after a successful investigation by the Haliburton Highlands OPP.

Early Thursday morning last week, police responded to a vehicle in a snow bank on Bethel Road in Minden. After police arrived on scene they learned the vehicle was stolen.

It was eventually linked to the two teens, one from Haliburton and the other from Minden.

They were arrested shortly after at a residence and face three counts of break and enter, possession of break-in instruments, possession of property obtained by crime under \$5,000 and over \$5,000, mischief over \$5,000 and under \$5,000, including theft of a motor vehicle over \$5,000.

Both accused were released on a promise to appear and are scheduled to appear in the Minden courthouse on March 5.

"From our standpoint it is significant because we're talking about six break and enters," said OPP Const. Paul Potter.

He adds serial criminal activity like this is considered "higher on the priority list."

"We don't downplay any break and enter obviously, but the ones that are multiples we try and target right away," he said. "Those are the people that don't seem to care about going through three or four different homes. Like where is that going to stop?"

The break-ins date back to September of last year.

Potter said a follow-up investigation is going to be conducted to determine if further charges will be laid.



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Mark Arike Editor

The remains of a roof and porch that collapsed at a residence in Gooderham, killing a 64-year-old woman.

## Roof collapse kills woman

By Mark Arike  
Editor

A 64-year-old Highlands East woman is dead after part of a roof collapsed on her.

Gooderham resident Bonnie Dewey was shovelling snow off the deck at her mother's residence on Contau Lake Road on Jan. 11 when the roof above her collapsed. Haliburton EMS and members

of the Highlands East Fire department tried to revive Dewey, but their attempts were unsuccessful.

According to an OPP press release, it appears that the structure failure was

caused by the weight of the heavy snow and recent precipitation.

## Family escapes house fire

By Mark Arike  
Editor

A home on Fred Jones Road in Haliburton was damaged by fire on Jan. 10, but the family was able to get out of harm's way.

Twelve firefighters from the Minden Hills fire department and the Dysart fire department responded to the early morning blaze, which broke out at around 2 a.m. at 1296 Fred Jones Road, according to a press release. The family in the home was alerted to the fire after their smoke alarm went off.

"They [the family] kept the doors shut," said Dysart fire chief Miles Maughan. "They did all the things properly."

Firefighters contained the fire to the room in which it started. The damage to the home is estimated at \$60,000, stated the release.

The fire department is reminding members of the public to ensure they have a working smoke alarm. Those who fail to comply can be issued a \$235 fine, said Maughan.

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## Quit-to-win contest offers cash and prizes

Haliburton County residents who decide to kick the habit this year have a chance to win cash in the Wouldurather Quit Smoking Contest.

The Haliburton, Kawartha, Pine Ridge District Health Unit is encouraging young people between the ages of 18 and 29, who are enrolled in a post-secondary program in Ontario, to accept the challenge.

"The start of a new year is a great time to consider giving up cigarettes and tobacco, and the Wouldurather contest can be an extra motivator to make that quit attempt," said Jennifer Robertson, a public health nurse with the Health Unit, in a press release.

Two grand prizes of \$2,500 are available to be won, as well as other cash prizes, tuition waivers and gift cards to various retailers. The Wouldurather contest is organized by Leave the Pack Behind, a youth-focused tobacco control initiative funded by the Ontario government.

The contest features four categories to provide participants the option that is best for them, according to the press release.

"There are four different categories to choose from in the contest, recognizing the fact that not everyone is ready to quit right away," said Robertson. "So whether you smoke a little, a lot, or not at all, there is a category that is perfect for you."

The deadline to enter the contest is Jan. 26. More information is available online at [www.wouldurather.ca](http://www.wouldurather.ca) or at any local Health Unit office.



File Photo

Last year Heather Kennedy and Ron Murphy were the first ones to take the plunge into the icy water.

## Lions Club challenges residents to take icy plunge

By Angelica Blenich  
Staff

If you missed last year's first ever Polar Bear Challenge you'll soon have another opportunity to jump into the icy waters of Head Lake.

The Haliburton and District Lions Club is organizing the second annual Polar Bear Challenge, to be held during the Haliburton Frost Festival on Feb. 15 in Head Lake Park.

Like last year, the dip will be a fundraiser for Sick Kids Hospital, particularly for eye care, which is part of the club's international mandate, said local club president Jim Frost.

"Last year we raised \$8,300 for the Sick Kids hospital's eye clinic," said Frost. "We were just absolutely surprised at being able to raise that much money ... it turned out very successful and I think it was a lot of fun for everybody."

Frost estimates last year's event drew about 50 participants, however, the park was filled with hundreds of spectators.

"You know what [Reeve] Murray Fearrey told me? He said people enjoy seeing other people in pain ... so maybe that's why," joked Frost on the supportive turnout for the event.

To raise money participants simply need to pick up a pledge form and bring it to the event on Feb. 15. No pre-registration is required.

The dip will take place at the park at 1 p.m., with those participating asked to register between 10 a.m. and noon, prior to taking the plunge.

Pledge sheets are available at Haliburton Foodland, Cranberry Cottage, Todd's Independent and West Guilford Shopping Centre.

New this year, participants will have the chance to show off their creative side while jumping into the freezing water. Prizes are being awarded for the best costume, as well as the team that raises the most money and the individual who brings in the most money.

Organizers are asking that both costumes and swimwear be kept family friendly.

There are no age requirements, therefore

both children and adults are invited to participate, said Frost.

Everyone must sign a waiver before jumping in. Both the Dysart and Stanhope fire departments will once again support the dip.

While Frost was a willing participant last year, this year he plans to keep his feet on solid ground.

"I don't think I'll go in the water this year," he said.

While it's still early, two Lions clubs from outside the county have already signed up to participate.

The local club will also be hosting a barbecue and pancake breakfast as part of the Frost Fest activities, which is an initiative of the Municipality of Dysart et al and Haliburton Village Business Improvement Area.

The day-long festival includes outdoor winter activities for all ages, all free of charge (except for food).

More information can be found at [www.frostfest.ca](http://www.frostfest.ca) or by emailing Frost at [haliburtonlions@gmail.com](mailto:haliburtonlions@gmail.com).

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Sue Tiffin Staff

Ottawa-based illusionist Eric Leclerc includes a young audience member in one of his tricks.

## Magic moments delight crowd at illusionist's show

By Sue Tiffin  
Staff

Kids were on the edge of their seats when "Canada's Magic Champion" took to the stage at the Northern Lights Performing Arts Pavilion on the afternoon of Jan. 12. Ottawa-based illusionist Eric Leclerc performs for kids as "Mr.E" and has been heralded by people like Wayne Gretzky and former Prime Minister Jean Chr tien. "It's as fun for the adults as it is for the kids," said Leclerc. "Every adult and child leaves the theatre with a big smile on their face."

"The look on the kids' faces is amazing, and a lot of the kids come up to me after the show to tell me that they want to be a magician," he said.

Leclerc is familiar with Haliburton because he has attended Camp White Pine's Sorcerer's Safari Magic and Performance Camp.

"It's the best time of my year," he said. "It's like the Super Bowl of magic."

Mr. E was in town as part of the ongoing Razzamataz Kids' Shows series. A season pass is available to the series at [www.razzamataz.ca](http://www.razzamataz.ca) for \$24 per person.



Photo submitted

Members of the Haliburton Highlands Time Travellers present financial donations to the Minden and Haliburton hospital auxiliaries.

## Time Travellers donate to health services

Submitted

In keeping with the tradition of supporting the communities of Minden and Haliburton, the Haliburton Highlands Time

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## Who done it?

The recent string of vehicle break-ins in Haliburton County has several people asking the same question: what are their names?

And by names, they're referring to the two Haliburton residents who were arrested and charged following a lengthy police investigation. The suspects include a 22-year-old woman and a 26-year-old man.

While their names were published in a press release on the OPP's web portal (a service designed to get the information to media outlets), we did not print their names in this issue of the Haliburton Echo or on our website.

Why is that? For the past several years, the policy of this paper has been to omit the names of those charged, unless there's a commitment to follow up on the results of the trial. The powers that be determined it was unfair to print the name(s) of the accused otherwise.

Is it vital for the public to know the names of the accused? It's not like we can take the law into our own hands and punish who we believe to be the perpetrators. Just like everyone else, they too deserve their right to a fair trial.

Staff Sgt. Chad Bark, Haliburton Highlands OPP detachment commander, and OPP Sgt. Peter Leon, community service coordinator, agree that it's important to reveal the identities of the accused.

"They support publishing the names," said OPP Const. Paul Potter, who added that he also believes it's important that the public be given this information.

"We don't arrest and charge people on suspicion," he said. "We arrest and charge because we have reasonable and probable grounds."

What makes this debate interesting is that once a person is charged before the courts, it becomes public information. Names are included in press releases found on the aforementioned portal, which can be accessed by anyone with an Internet connection (a password is



Mark Arike  
Editor

required to log in, but a quick Google search will give you all the information you need to see the very same names we do).

The Haliburton Highlands OPP detachment doesn't have its own website, but in some of the more urban centres, police maintain their own online presence. For example, a long list of media releases

– with names – can be found on the homepage of Durham Regional Police Service.

According to an article in Orillia Today, Orillia's police board chair Rick Fraracci supports Durham's online efforts, especially when it comes to publishing the names of drunk drivers.

"It can be a bit of a shaming," he was quoted as saying in a Jan. 10 article.

Publishing names can act as deterrent. But is that our role as media?

As the people responsible for bringing you the news, we must decide on a policy that is unbiased and respects victims' rights. In the end, we may very well stick with the status quo.

To name, or not to name, that is the question.



Darren Lum

Branched view.

## Letter brings back memories

Dear editor,

I enjoyed reading the article from Jo-Ann Sloan about her experiences in Meppel, Holland, published in the Nov. 26 edition of the Haliburton Echo. It brought back many memories for me. I have a friend, Arend De Roo, who now lives in Apeldoorn, Holland, and used to live in Meppel when he was a young boy. At that time, the German army occupied Meppel.

I've been to Holland several times for the Liberation celebrations parade and have been to Meppel with Arend to see his former home in Meppel. Arend has been to Canada and Norland for many visits.

Also may be of interest, an army veteran formerly from Burnt River, Clarence Mitchell (deceased), whose regiment was one of the first allied liberators to arrive in Meppel. Clarence was the driver of a

Bren Gun Carrier and he fell asleep in his vehicle shortly after arrival. He was awakened later with someone shaking him and found a pretty young girl saying her father wanted him to come to their house. This young girl was Arend's sister.

My tank regiment was the Canadian Grenadier Guards and landed on Juno Beach, Normandy from LCT boats with the Fourth Canadian Armoured Division. We eventually ended up in Wilhelmshaven (Oldenburg, Germany area) when the war was over, having helped to liberate much of Europe, especially Holland, where the Canadians are still honoured and as Mrs. Sloan remarked they can't do enough for you.

John Le Crow  
Norland

## Round of applause for roads crews

Dear editor,

Kudos to Haliburton roads people who have kept Haliburton sidewalk access as clear as possible after heavy icy and snow conditions.

A very recent trip to Peterborough with a friend indicated the problems for parking and for pedestrians when curbside high drifts remain in place. When we found a parking spot on the main street, the drift on the sidewalk was so high and so ice-hard that the car door could not be fully opened. There was barely room to get out. Then the only access to the sidewalk was over a narrow, steep, rough and icy single shoe track obviously made by other pedestrians.

Once finally landed on the sidewalk, a ticket from a centrally located meter machine needed to be acquired. Then the whole effort over the minor Chilkoot Pass had to be made to the car and back again by my driver in order to place the ticket on the dash. When we returned to our car

after shopping, both of us had to repeat this hazardous and extremely awkward exercise. I could not have managed this at all had I been alone. The only alternative would have been to walk in traffic to the street corner.

No wonder people choose to shop at malls.

Now that we too have centrally located parking meters, this situation could happen here. We all recognize that snow clearance takes some time, and that immediately after a storm the streets take a while to get cleared. However, retailers must remember to ensure access for shoppers as soon as possible. Seniors in particular cannot manage narrow steep tracks over snow cones.

So far this winter, the comparison with Peterborough puts our Haliburton roads people far ahead. It is noticed and appreciated. Congratulations.

Margery Cartwright  
Haliburton



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Angelica Blenich Staff

There are two new faces behind eating establishment Haliburton Family Restaurant. Husband and wife Andy Oh, right, and Sunny Park took over the restaurant on Oct. 18, 2013. The couple moved to the area with their three children for the business opportunity.

## Family Restaurant under new ownership

By Angelica Blenich Staff

Andy Oh is all about Haliburton and family.

A new resident of the area, Oh, 41, moved to Haliburton in October of last year after a business opportunity was brought to his attention.

Living in Aurora at the time, Oh was told by friends from Norland about the Haliburton Family Restaurant.

With experience in the restaurant industry, Oh and his wife Sunny Park, along with their three young children, moved to the area after purchasing the eatery located on Maple Avenue.

Officially taking over on Oct. 18, Oh has been working hard in and out of the kitchen to make the restaurant family friendly.

He and his family have adjusted to the area quickly, feeling welcomed by the community.

"I love it," he said. "I noticed the people [here], it's different from the city."

A self-declared city boy, Oh says Haliburton "feels like home."

This past Christmas, he received Christmas cards from his customers, showing him he was already a part of this community.

Oh has been easing into the restaurant business slowly, wanting to become more familiar with the establishment and its clientele before making drastic changes.

Unlike before, alcohol is no longer permitted on the restaurant's outdoor patio, a change Oh believes will help attract more people.

Along with being the owner, Oh is also the chef, who believes in making homemade, healthy food.

"I asked myself how I was going to change this restaurant ... and what came to my mind was let's make a real family restaurant, for everyone," he said.

Oh wants to continue to have the support of the steady clientele as well as attracting new customers.

He is working on the menu, which will start to see changes around March. The owner wants to continue serving comfort food, something patrons really like.

A nearby customer weighs in on Oh's abilities in the kitchen, commenting on how good the food is.

The feedback puts a big smile on the owner's face.

"Little by little I'm starting to notice new faces coming in," he said. "Slowly, gradually I want to improve it."

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NHLer Matt Duchene participated in last summer's Flood Relief Golf Tournament at the Pinestone Resort. Duchene recently joined Canadian Men's Olympic Hockey Team.

## Duchene: Being named is humbling and surreal

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"It's something I have wanted really bad and I knew it would mark a major milestone in my career," he said.

He adds being named is "humbling and surreal."

His father commended his son on handling the pressure.

"From the beginning of the season he's just trying to play as well as he can to help his team win and the whole bit," said Vince. "But that's always niggling at the back of your mind as parents. When you watch your kid you wonder if he has an off game, if the pressure is getting to him? ...

He handled it perfectly."

Vince recalled an important moment in his son's life a few years ago, when he was injured and cut from the world junior Canadian team. Following that setback, he had a strong finish to the OHL season for the Brampton Battalion, which elevated his standing for the NHL draft.

"That's what launched him to be in the conversation to be first overall pick in the NHL. That's what did it," he said.

The lockout season where Matt played for Canada in the Spengler Cup and in Europe was a definite boost to his son's playing, Vince added.

"He's worked really hard to get to this

point. I'm as proud of him [now as] of anything else. It just shows what sheer determination and desire can bring him."

Matt's mother Chris said the family is figuring out scheduling to go to Russia.

Duchene was one of 25 NHL players who will play for gold at the Sochi 2014 Winter Olympics. The team includes an all-star cast of players such as good friend Sidney Crosby, Jonathan Toews and John Tavares.

Although this is Duchene's first Olympic team, he isn't new to the international stage, having represented Canada in three of the last four world championships. He has also won two gold medals in 2008

for Team Canada at the International Ice Hockey Federation World Under-18 Championship in Kazan, Russia and the Under-18 Ivan Hlinka tournament in Slovakia.

Parents, Vince said, experience everything their child experiences.

"You feel everything," he said. "We felt his oblique [injury earlier in the season]. As a parent you feel it. That's the hardest part. You live and die by everything that happens with your kid because as a dad or as a mom you want your children to do the best they can."

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Red Hawks player Cassidy Garbutt, in red, collides with an I.E. Weldon Secondary School Wildcats player going through the neutral zone in a game at the A.J. LaRue Arena on Thursday, Jan. 9 in Haliburton. The Hawks tied the Wildcats 1-1.

## Wildcats tie up HHSS Red Hawks girls

By Darren Lum  
Staff

There wasn't any perceivable rust from the two-week holiday, as the Red Hawks girls' hockey team and the visiting I.E. Weldon Secondary School Wildcats put on a formidable performance in a 1-1 draw.

In the battle for second place in north Kawartha at the A.J. LaRue Arena on Jan. 9 in Haliburton, the small audience was treated to a fast-paced and high-skilled game.

There were few whistles blown, keeping the flow of the game up with end-to-end rushes and solid scoring chances for both teams.

With the draw, the Hawks (2-2-2) remain in second place because of a better goal differential compared to the Wildcats with

the same record.

Although the forward line of Little, Kelsey Maracle and centre Alicia McLean had a strong game, Hawks coach Dan Marsden was quick to credit the entire lineup for a solid performance.

"As a team unit everybody played wicked today. We talked about having some jump today and not being on your heels, be on your toes. The World Juniors [team] were not on their toes enough," said Marsden, referring to the Canadian junior hockey team's loss. "I told the girls we have to find a way to get an extra gear because this is a good team."

He pointed to the Wildcats' top players Alyssa Shorts and Alley Lynch, who proved to be dangerous throughout the game.

Marsden added his girls kept things in

check by being aggressive in making things happen instead of letting them happen.

The Red Hawks started outchancing the Wildcats 2:1 in the first period, but couldn't capitalize. The period ended tied 0-0 thanks in part to Hawks goalie Connor Marsden, who stopped Shorts on a clear breakaway.

Hawks winger Erin Little brought the few spectators to their feet with a top shelf goal from a wrist shot taken just above the hash marks.

Up by a goal with 5:40 left in the second, the Hawks didn't have long to celebrate as the Wildcats found the equalizer seconds later off a flukey goal from Emma Winder, who scored from behind the net, banking it off Hawks goalie Marsden's skate.

"It happens. Those seem to be the goals that either hurt us or are game changers.

Today it didn't hurt us because we tied. Nonetheless, we wanted to at least beat them, but took the tie. They tied St. Petes. We play St. Petes in our last game of the year. It will be a true test for us."

The Hawks have already played the Petes twice, losing in regular season and a tournament, but were narrowly defeated 1-0 and 2-0.

As the game wore on, space and time increased, leading to more odd-man rushes and scoring chances – but neither team could score.

Within the final minutes of the game, the Red Hawks came close to winning the game when forward Sydney Cameron rang a shot off the crossbar, beating Wildcats goalie Kat Clark.

The Wildcats came on in the final seconds, but the Hawks hung on for the tie.



### Fleming College

#### Request for Proposal for a General Contractor – Design-Build Storage Building, Haliburton Campus

Owner: Sir Sanford Fleming College of Applied Arts and Technology  
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The College is seeking proposals from qualified General Contractors interested in providing complete design-build services, encompassing, but not limited to, design development, engineering, procurement, construction and commissioning.

The intent of this RFP is to solicit proposals from General Contractors to provide a "turn-key design-build" storage building at our Haliburton School of the Arts located in Haliburton, Ontario. The required building shall be a minimum of 2000 sq ft., fit for its intended purpose, and meet the specifications found in the bidding documents.

To be considered, proponents must be able to:

- ☒ demonstrate a minimum of ten (10) years experience acting as a General Contractor
- ☒ demonstrate previous experience successfully completing a minimum of three (3) design-build projects of a similar size and nature in the previous 5 years;
- ☒ demonstrate the project can be completed within the timeline provided
- ☒ Provide a Bid Bond of 10% of the contract price
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- ☒ Provide a signed "Undertaking of Insurance" on a standard form provided by their insurance company stating their intention to provide insurance to the proponent in accordance with the insurance requirements in the bidding documents.

Documents are available for download on Merx, or by request by contacting the College's Purchasing Department via email ([purchasing@flemingcollege.ca](mailto:purchasing@flemingcollege.ca)) and Reference RFP #HAL13-14.

There will be a mandatory site visit at **1:00 pm on Friday, January 17, 2014** starting in **Room 8** at our **Haliburton Campus, 297 College Drive, Haliburton, Ontario, K0M 1S0**.

Submissions shall be delivered in a sealed envelope to the **Purchasing Department, Room 423, Sutherland Campus, 599 Brealey Drive, Peterborough, ON, K9J 7B1** no later than **2:00:00 pm on Thursday, February 6, 2014**.

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### Posting for the Positions of Executive Director and Administrative Assistant

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#### Executive Director

The Executive Director is a highly motivated and energetic leader with a strong interest in conservation. The Executive Director serves as the public face of the Land Trust and provides leadership in the areas of funding development, volunteer and membership development and the management of staff and operations. The successful candidate brings a commitment to environmental conservation and a background in management, ideally in the not-for-profit sector. You have:

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This position is funded through a two year Trillium grant. It is the intent of the Land Trust to make this position ongoing following this grant. Retention is of course dependent upon funding which is a key focus of the position. The full terms of reference are available on the website at [www.haliburtonlandtrust.ca](http://www.haliburtonlandtrust.ca)

#### Administrative Assistant

The Administrative Assistant reports directly to the Executive Director and works closely with the Board of Directors and its committees. The position involves setting up and maintaining information pertaining to volunteers, memberships (and membership levels), donations, projects, and electronic mailing lists. The candidate works closely with the treasurer to maintain financial records, to process invoices and payments and to handle the banking aspect (and record keeping) of all donations and payments. The successful candidate has:

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# Pickleball comes to Haliburton Village

By Darren Lum  
Staff

What do you get when you cross badminton, tennis and table tennis?

The ever-growing sport of pickleball.

It's a hybrid sport that borrows the court dimensions, and a few rules from badminton and table tennis to the footwork and racquet-work of tennis.

This year a group of local pickleball enthusiasts in Haliburton have been offering the sport popular with retirees to anyone interested in an opportunity to learn and play every Thursday evening from 7-9:45 p.m. at Haliburton Highlands Secondary School.

It's apparent by the smiles and yells of encouragement that the small group that came out last week was getting the full enjoyment of the sport.

Among the players keen to share their passion and love for pickleball is Chris Bunn.

She credits the community offering in Minden and Haliburton to Stuart Buck and wife Sue.

Bunn is excited to have more players to play the sport that includes a glossary of terms such as a "dink" – a drop shot – or "kitchen" – seven feet in front of the net also known as the "non-volley zone."

There are also unique rules such as how points are only scored by the server and



Darren Lum Staff

**Dave Lear finishes a shot at the weekly offering of pickleball for adults.**

volleying – hitting the ball out of mid-air – can only commence on the third hit for both sides.

Games are won by the first to 11 points and by at least two points.

For more information on the Haliburton evening offerings contact Chris or Bill Bunn at [cbbunn47@gmail.com](mailto:cbbunn47@gmail.com).

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# Hawks wrestling team comes home with wins

## Haliburton team in Port Perry

Submitted by Paul Klose

The Haliburton Highlands Secondary School wrestling team started off the new year in fine form at the annual Northern Classic Wrestling Invitational tournament.

On Jan. 10, the Red Hawks travelled to Port Perry to compete at the wrestling tournament, which hosted more than 140 athletes. Nineteen high schools from the Central Ontario Secondary School Athletics and Durham Region were represented.

Matt Pheaton led the team with three wins and one loss to earn a bronze medal in the 51-kilogram weight class. Special mention goes to Cody Dunn who had his best tournament of the season. Dunn wrestled extremely well at 64 kilograms and ended the day with a record of two wins and two losses. Veteran Red Hawk Matt Sexsmith posted three wins and two losses to earn fifth place in the competitive 130-kilogram division.

The HHSS women's wrestling team also performed well on Friday. Rebecca

Hamilton and Carmen Galea each won a match, while Sonya Flatman earned two wins. Coaches Paul Klose and Dan Fockler are pleased with the results.

"The girls on our team are all first-year wrestlers and they are holding their own against veterans from other schools. We look forward to the future with this group. They have great instincts on the mat and are continuing to improve," he said.

To help promote interest in wrestling and to develop wrestling skills at an earlier age, the Haliburton Youth Wrestling Club is starting training sessions. Girls and boys in Grades 5 to 8 are invited to join the club. Practices are held at HHSS every Tuesday at 5:30 p.m. beginning on Tuesday, Jan. 14.

The sessions consist of strength, balance and conditioning exercises. Basic wrestling techniques and strategies will also be taught. The cost is \$65, which include sessions running from January to April, and a membership with the Ontario Amateur Wrestling Association.

For more information, please contact Paul Klose at 705-457-4266.



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**If you are interested please forward a cover letter and your resume by January 24, 2014 to:**

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# Team Walker takes step to Brier

By Darren Lum  
Staff

Everything just clicked.

Red Hawks alumnus Jake Walker couldn't be happier with his curling team, who went undefeated on their way to winning regionals from Jan. 4 to 5 in Alliston.

With a linescore of 6-2, 9-2 and 5-1, the team is now advancing to the Travelers Tankard from March 1 to 9 in Smith Falls and will now play the best from all over the province for a chance at the Brier.

"I'm not going to say it was easy," said Walker. "We performed really, really well. Winning that was a pretty good achievement for us because we are a first year team. We just formed this team at the beginning of the season so for us to have gained enough momentum throughout the season to win the regional and get to the Tankard is a pretty good accomplishment."

The prospect of taking the Tankard and earning a national final spot is beyond words for Walker, who admits making the Brier is a long-term career goal.

"I can't even put into words about how exciting that would be," he said. "It's not something that happens. It's usually a team that has been playing many years together. They're veterans of the sport. That's usually the team that makes it to the Brier."

Going in, he said, the team's goal is to be among the top-four teams to make playdowns.

If that happens they'll reevaluate their goals at the event.

However, that will prove difficult as among the nine other solid skips is perennial curling power Glenn Howard, who is a winner of four Briers and four world championships.

Walker believes the major factor for his team's success is how each of them fulfills their roles on the team. His teammates play out of the Chinguacousy Curling Club in Brampton.

Walker calls teammate Mike McGaugh, who is perpetually practicing, his "best lead ever."

"Having a good lead is something not many teams are able to find. Having a good lead sets up the entire end basically the entire game," he said.

His brother, Andrew, is equally adept at



Submitted by Jake Walker

Team Walker (left to right): Michael McGaugh, lead, Andrew McGaugh, second, Dayna Deruelle, third, and Jake Walker, skip, have advanced to the Travelers Tankard by winning the region three Travelers Ontario Tankard competition from Jan. 4 to 5 in Alliston. This gives them the chance to earn an entry to the Tim Hortons Brier. Walker is an Haliburton Highlands Secondary School alumnus.

his position, being able to throw the up-weight.

But it's the siblings' ability to work together that really impresses Walker.

"To be honest, if I was playing with my brother on the same team I'd probably kill him," he said. "But these two are, I don't know, they just got this good relationship as brothers and work well together."

Vice, Dayna Deruelle, is the eldest at 31 and brings a wealth of playing and coaching experience.

"He's been through the stages. He's been to the Tankard three times now. This will be his fourth. There's no price you can put on experience in that sense," he said. "It

just throws me into the position that I love throwing and have been successful before."

All three, he said, have been supportive of his skipping.

"That boosts my confidence and allows me to play the best I can play," he said.

He considers a men's provincial competition on par with a junior national.

"The teams are treated very well. There's a lot of money that goes into the provincial. It's played at an arena. It's a big event the OCA [Ontario Curling Association] puts together," he said.

Although team Walker is newly formed, two of its members – Deruelle and Andrew McGaugh – both have experience playing

in the Tankard.

Although Walker hasn't been there yet, he will draw upon his national and international experience. Mike is obviously excited, but comes from juniors directly.

The former Red Hawks curler knows being at their best will be key and nerves could be a factor in execution.

"For us I think we'll have to keep our emotions in check and that will allow us to perform the way we know we can perform," he said. "If we let that take advantage of us then we might not play as well as we can."

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# Seeing the game for what it is

By Darren Lum  
Staff

To see him on the ice you wouldn't know he is a hero, inspiring those around him.

He looks like any of the players playing men's 60-plus recreational hockey on Wednesdays at the AJ LaRue Arena in Haliburton.

Stricken by an eye condition as a baby, Haliburton-born Ross Burk, 56, a father of four children, has endured a lifetime of challenges that have left him with 20/400 vision.

But that hasn't stopped him from seeing the beauty of the game.

He looks forward to playing hockey every Wednesday afternoon in Haliburton at the arena, making the walk from his home just down the road with his cart of equipment.

After 12 years, Burk still gets an ear-to-ear grin at the arena, whether it's on the ice or on the bench watching his team play. Amazingly, Burk, who has the "heavy" shot that rarely misses the goal, is just as inspired by the other guys as much as they are by him.

"These guys, I really enjoy playing with them. I've seen a lot of guys come and go because of moving or they said they had enough. There was this one fella I remember in particular ... Every time I saw him on a pair of skates I just stopped and watched him," he said, referring to Jack Virgin's slick skating and impressive puck handling skills. Virgin is nearly 20 years older than Burk. "He just inspired me to keep going."

Burk credits organizer Glen Smith for providing him the opportunity to play men's hockey.

"He's just amazing," he said. "He could have given up on me. He could have told me right from the get-go you're not playing."

Burk's former teacher Glen Scully vouched for him despite Burk being younger than the then minimum age of 45.

His friend Paul Cameron, who plays goalie on Wednesday afternoons, is in awe of Burk's playing abilities.

"Ross is definitely an inspiration to me in that with his handicap of limited vision he illustrates sheer determination, will-power and courage to participate in this physical endeavour, hockey," he said in an email from Florida. "His spirit is very positive playing pick-up hockey with us for he realizes the benefits such as having fun, exercise, and enjoying the experience with friends. He definitely possesses some good hockey skills and as a goalie I can attest to the fact that he has a very accurate and heavy shot on goal."



Darren Lum Staff

Ross Burk, right, is an inspiration for those who know him, particularly his friends who he plays hockey with once a week in the 60-plus men's recreational hockey at the A.J. LaRue Arena in Haliburton. Burk enjoys life and loves hockey despite the lifetime of challenges of his limited vision.

Cameron has been inspired by the very challenges Burk faces.

"For myself, it tells me one can accomplish any of their goals in life regardless of their handicap situation by being self-motivated to overcome life's obstacles. Also, you have to thoroughly enjoy what you undertake to derive the best results," he said.

Besides some pick-up football, Burk didn't play any other sports except hockey on the road or the ice.

"I just enjoyed it," he said. "I guess I played it all my life, played it as a kid out on the driveway or out on the pond. We'd come in and our ears would be frozen, our hands and feet like any kid."

Neil Cutler, a regular with the Wednesday crew for 10 years, said Burk is all heart.

"He keeps showing up ... He's played all his life," he said from the player's bench during a recent game. "Some guys stay at home and watch TV. He gets out."

The last thing Burk would ever want to do is hurt anyone (even if by accident) while playing hockey because of his limited eyesight. Although players will often give him time and space with the puck, Burk takes responsibility to not hurt

anyone with his 5'11" 234-pound frame.

"I probably have more respect for those guys than some of them have for me," he said.

Burk fell in love with the sport as a child, playing road hockey on Park Street in Haliburton.

At the age of 15, he lost the use of his left eye. When he was 20, it had to be removed.

Although he now has an artificial eye, what he lost never stripped him of his courage or never-quit attitude.

In his forties he had cataracts removed from his remaining right eye, which has improved his overall vision.

Seeing things in general is easier, but reading is far more difficult, requiring larger print.

This challenge also affects Burk's depth perception so picking up the puck is a little more difficult, particularly hard passes from afar. Due to a hole in his retina of his right eye, he lacks centre vision.

"Some people think when I say that they think

I'm looking around a hole," he explained.

"I'm not. I see like you do. Okay? Not as clear as you do, but I see like you do. I don't see any holes. There's no holes, black holes, or shadows."

Dealing with these challenges have put things in perspective for Burk.

"[I] take a better look at life, ya know. Look at things. I know I'm not going to set the world on fire playing hockey."

True to his character, Burk is happiest on the ice making the perfect pass to brighten another player's day.

"It's funny with hockey," he said. "Some guys like to score goals – a lot of goals. I'd rather set someone up than score. I get just about as much joy getting an assist on a goal as scoring."

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# Varsity hockey squad loses to Classic champs

Submitted by Ron Yake

The Haliburton Red Hawks hockey team had a solid showing at the two-day St. Peter's Classic Tournament from Jan. 8 to 9 in Peterborough.

Like other years, they had another impressive showing ending up with a

third place finish in the "A" division being defeated by Mowat, the tournament champions 1-0 in the semi-final game. The game of the tournament was the 1-0 win in the quarterfinal game against Bluevale from Waterloo as the Hawks scored with 1:20 left in the game on the powerplay.

## Game results

Haliburton 5 North Toronto 0  
Haliburton 0 Gonzaga 5  
Haliburton 2 Trinity 1

## Quarterfinals

Haliburton 1 Bluevale 0

## Semifinals

Haliburton 0 Mowat 1

## Finals

A Mowat 2-1 over Gonzaga  
B Holy Cross 2-1 over Fenelon Falls  
C Dunnville 2-1 over Maxwell Heights

## Wilberforce

Hilda Clark

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As the new year begins, it is time for many organizations to review efforts of the previous year. It's good to be reminded what has been accomplished and usually helps when planning for what comes next. The Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the Wilberforce Agricultural Society was held on Saturday, Jan. 11 at the LWMC. A potluck supper was dined upon before the main business commenced. The year 2013 is reported to have been one of the group's most successful. The annual fair in August was well attended in good weather. It was an entertaining and informative event that provided opportunities to share cultural talents and learn about agricultural

practices past and present. There are new directors joining experienced ones and new volunteers as the "Ag Fair" folks get on with planning for great farm life experiences for 2014. Do feel free to offer your help to this group which offers so much to the community.

And the AGM of the Wilberforce Heritage Guild will be held on Monday, Jan. 20 at 7 p.m. at the Wilberforce Red Cross Outpost Historic House. Refreshments will be available at 6:30 p.m. All are welcome to spend some time at our National Historic Site as the work carried out there in 2013 is reviewed.

The Community Care noon hour dinner was served at the Wilberforce Legion on Friday, Jan. 10. Diners enjoyed a delicious meal provided by the Legion Ladies

Auxiliary. You too can enjoy these pleasant times, which take place twice a month. Call Community Care at 705-457-2941 for more information.

Feel like an hour or two to relax over tea or coffee and play some games? You can do that at St. Margaret's Church on Tuesday, Jan. 21 beginning at 1:30 p.m. It's called Games and Goodies. Expect some crokinole, checkers, scrabble, dominoes, Uno, Clue, etc. Join in and relax.

Trying to believe that a very cold trip to Haliburton Village would end with good news was a challenge early last Tuesday morning. A decision to travel by Tory Hill instead of over Vinegar Hill had already been made. The sun was struggling to shine through grey, hazy clouds when lo and behold a rainbow appeared. Not a

full arc but definitely the lower leg of one shone over Lake Wilbermere. A strange yet amazing sight. Perhaps ice crystals instead of raindrops?

Considering the purpose of this trip, was this a favourable omen? But it was morning, and morning rainbows were not common and not considered reassuring. And it proved so. The little grey friend did not return home with me.

How competent and gentle was the treatment of Flurry by Dr. Grant and staff at the Haliburton Veterinary Services. Flurry adopted me in a snowy February years ago. She left on a blustery January day. Now about the rainbow. A reminder perhaps that what is sad for one creature is good news for another.

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# Royal Canadian Legion weekly activities

**Branch 129, Haliburton**  
Dave Allen PRO, 705-457-2571

**Wednesdays:**

Bid Euchre, 1 p.m. start  
Bingo, doors open at 6 p.m. Bingo starts at 7 p.m., \$500 jackpot.  
\$1,000 jackpot on last Wednesday of the month.

**Thursdays:**

General Meeting, second Thursday of the month starting at 7:30 p.m. All members urged to attend.  
Ladies Auxiliary, last Thursday of the month at 1 p.m.

**Fridays:**

Meat Draw, five draws. Five prizes each

draw. First draw at 4:30 p.m., last draw at 6:30 p.m. Tickets are \$2 per draw. Chester Howse, emcee.

**Saturdays:**

50/50 Draw, 4 p.m. draw. Tickets are \$1 each from noon onwards.

**Sundays:**

Breakfast, second and fourth Sunday of the month, 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. \$6 per person.

Whether you're planning a function for 10 or 200, call the Legion today for more information at 705-457-2571.

Everyone is welcome. Please come out and support Haliburton Legion Branch 129. Wishing you all the best in 2014!

**Branch 624, Wilberforce**  
Jan Simon PRO, 705-448-2221

**January 13-19, 2014**

Monday: Bid Euchre - 7 p.m.  
Tuesday: General Meeting - 7 p.m.  
Wednesday: Fun Darts - 7:30 p.m.  
Friday: Pool - 1:30 p.m.  
Spaghetti Dinner - 5-7 p.m.  
Jam Session - 7 p.m. Come to play or listen to great music.  
Saturday: Meat Draw - 2-5 p.m.  
Sunday: L.A. Breakfast - 9-12 p.m.

**Recent events**

The New Year's Eve Bash brought in 2014 with a sold-out crowd of revellers.  
Best wishes to everyone from the executive

of Branch 624 and a thank you for all your support in 2013.

**Upcoming Events**

Pat & Phyllis Gallen Lake Trout Ice Fishing Derby - Saturday, Jan. 25. Register at the Legion by close Jan. 24 or at the Fishes Lunch Box by 10 a.m. on Jan. 25. Weigh-in from 3-6 p.m. at the Legion. Entry fee \$15 per person. One fish per entry. Cash prizes for 1st to 5th plus prize table

Call Garry Langford at 705-448-1448 or the Legion at 705-448-2221 for further information.

Robbie Burns Dinner - Saturday, Jan. 25. Refreshments served at 6 p.m. Dinner at 6:30 p.m. \$15 per person. Wonderful entertainment by piper Leslie Hunt. Come out and enjoy this traditional evening of folklore.

## Wildlife in your backyard

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Photo submitted by Janice Hardy

Janice Hardy snapped this shot of a blue jay in the Kennisis Lake area.

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Dated at Oakville this 7<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2014

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There will be a \$10 non-refundable deposit required to receive the bid documents.

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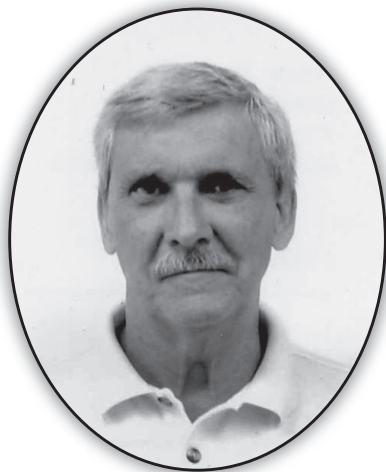
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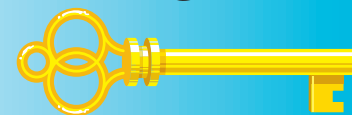
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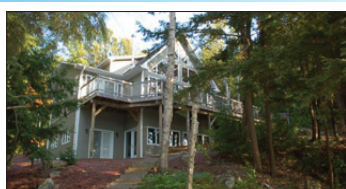
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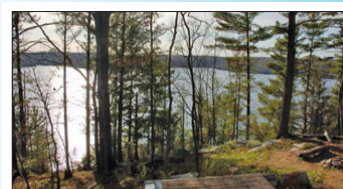
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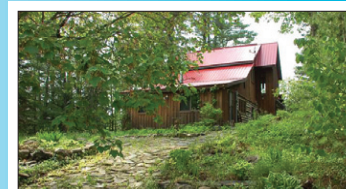
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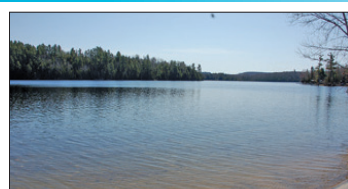
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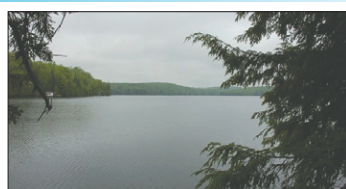
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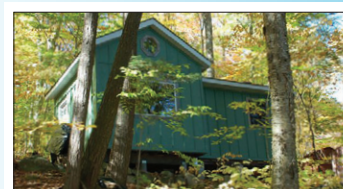
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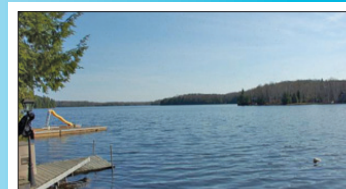
## HALIBURTON LAKE

Traditional 4BR cottage on water's edge. Superb view, sunsets with N/W exposure. Dry boathouse, large deck, great value! Year round road.  
**\$265,000**



## PERCY LK CABIN GETAWAY

Gorgeous clean shoreline w/smooth rock & sand. 324sf cabin, beautiful yr round cottage lot.  
**\$219,900**



## GLAMOR LAKE LOT

Pretty lot, nice clean shoreline both deep & sand area. S/W exp, Driveway in, holding tank, deck & dock. Build ready!  
**\$167,000**



## CARDIFF LAKE LOT

Treed 3.29 ac lot. Gradual slope to level. 645' frtg. Pretty lake with some Crown Land. Great fishing.  
**\$159,500**



## GUILFORD LAKE LOT

1.79 ac w/ 295' frtg. N/W exposure. Rock & sand shoreline. Algonquin style lake. Year round private road.  
**\$149,000**



## SALERNO DEEDED ACCESS

Private 4 season backlot cottage. Very neat & well maintained. 2BR/3pc shower. Fully winterized. Drilled well/septic. Awesome Getaway!  
**\$129,000**



## COLEMAN LAKE

Pretty 2 tiered waterfront lot. Nicely treed, majestic pines and open space ready to build on. Shed, firepit and a bunkie on the property.  
**\$124,500**

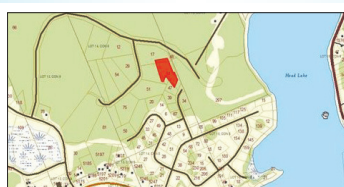


## HUNTER-FRED JONES RD -

## DRAG RIVER LOT

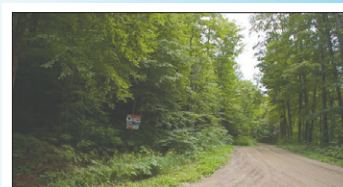
4+ ac riverfront lot minutes from Haliburton Village. Yr Rnd Rd, 420' riverfront. Boat launch nearby.  
**\$86,000**

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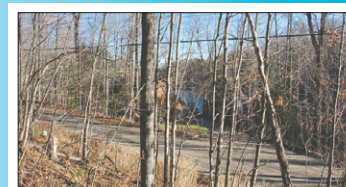
## VILLAGE BUILDING LOT

Nicely treed lot in upscale neighbourhood. Driveway in, site cleared.  
**\$83,400**



## SALERNO DEEDED ACCESS

Large corner building lot with 644' and 2.4 acres. Pretty lot with deeded access to Salerno Lake.  
**\$25,500**



## TREED BUILDING LOT

Close to public access on Long Lake, treed lot for home or cottage.  
**\$22,000**

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